



PATENT
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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hideki NISHIMURA Conf.: 2545
Appl. No.: 09/420,238 Group: 2178
Filed: October 19, 1999 Examiner: Adam M. Queler
For: KEY WORD DERIVING DEVICE, KEY WORD
DERIVING METHOD AND STORAGE MEDIUM
CONTAINING KEY WORD DERIVING PROGRAM

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 16, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEPENDENT	3	-	3	=	0	\$ 86	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$290	\$0.00
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Petition for () month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$0.00 for the extension of time.

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Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated January 20, 2004, the period for response having been extended by the concurrent filing of a Notice of Appeal to July 20, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes **Amendments and Remarks**.